

## HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

## COLUMN DEDICATED TO TIRED MOTHERS AS THEY JOIN THE HOME CIRCLE

Did you get much done at the sewing circle today? Yes, we tore up a few reputations and sowed a few seeds of discord in the congregation.

Keep near to your children. Do not let them grow away from you. Keep them close in your confidence and affection, so they will confide in and not be afraid of you. We know a lad who takes pleasure in giving his mother an account of his doings during the day, whether they are pleasant or otherwise. She laughs with him if they are funny, and gently chides where he is wrong but in a way that does not make him afraid of her. He will not relate a single instance to his father, because before the story is half through he will begin to scold him for doing so and so. It is plainly seen which can have the most influence with him.

Be courteous to your children. A kind manner and gentle tone usually have the desired effect, however obdurate the case, and children are born imitators. As in water, "face answereth face," so the reflection of our own lives in those of our children. Make home the most attractive place in the world to them; give them space to play, even if carpets and furniture suffer a little. Certainly order and cleanliness should be a law in every household, but take heed lest your children fear a stain upon clothes or carpet more than one upon their conscience.

Just a simple little "thank you," but how pleasant an act of kindness or chivalry will seem if only rewarded by a gracious "I thank you." Politeness is never beyond the reach of anyone, and it is the truest sign of good breeding. It is not more than right, and it should be expected of everyone, to thank people for any kindness they may show us, whether it may be their duty or not. How much more willing we are to do for one when we know that our work will be appreciated by a grateful thank you! If a friend takes the trouble to send any little token of love, no matter what, common sense, if not decency, should dictate that an acknowledgment, either verbal or written, is expected.

## Mind Your Own Business.

Those are just the words; four in number, and refer directly to the grumbling, growling, fault-finding mischief makers. People who never mind their own business are like the street whiffet dogs, that are always barking, biting, nipping and napping somebody. Can we presume the great Creator made you especially to superintend His universe, and to be eternally prying, meddling and seeking to control and direct every boy's affairs?

It is enough to make one indignant to see what pains some people go to to ferret out the plans of others, and start a bit of gossip. They leave their own gardens to grow full of weeds, while they are trying to hold up before everybody the few they pull from their neighbor's. O, how they toil to rob these of their reputation, their peace, their prosperity and pleasure. They do everything but mind their own business. They never discern their own faults and follies. By the time the whole town is criticized, and judgment pronounced, they're not a moment left to do more than congratulate themselves on their own good works.

People who don't mind their own business, bring more misery into families, societies and churches than everything else. They turn the pleasant, peaceful stream of good will into a loathsome pool; they intrude on ground where angels would even fear to tread.

Now, minding one's own business is the very best remedy for the itching ears that are never satisfied with hearing, and the busy tongue that hurries to speak cruel words. Minding your own business will turn your attention to self, and you will forget to watch so closely the shortcomings of others; it will make peaceful homes, happy neighbors, and quiet consciences; and you will be able to realize and more fully comprehend the truth spoken in holy writ, "Blessed are the Peacemakers."

Learn to laugh. A good laugh is better than medicine. Learn how to tell a story. A well-told story is as welcome as a sunbeam in a sick room. Learn to keep your own troubles to yourself. The world is too busy to care for your ills and sorrows. Learn to stop croaking. If you cannot see any good in the world keep the bad to yourself. Learn to hide your palms and aches under a pleasant smile. No one cares to hear whether you have the earache, headache or rheumatism. Do not cry. Tears do well enough in novels, but are out of place in real life. Learn to meet your friends with a smile. The good humored man or woman is always welcome, but the dyspeptic or hypochondriac is not wanted anywhere, and is a nuisance, as well.

## The Wife.

We go out to God's acre, and we read upon the tombstones of the poor wives who sleep quietly beneath the daisies, with their hands folded upon their breasts, of their virtues, and we think that some of the inscriptions should read, "Died of overwork." If life is a battle to a man, it is more to a woman. Woman does not draw her inspiration from the same source as man. Three things she needs and must have: First, your society and companionship; second, your confidence; and third, your love. She doesn't want to wait until she is dead to read her virtues on her tombstone. She wants her husband to tell her how much he loves her. There are couples, happy in the eyes of society, who in the home are nothing to each other. There are couples who in society blossom over with courtesies to each other, but who in their own homes are as stolid as oysters. In society the husband will almost break his neck to pick up her handkerchief if it falls, and at home will allow her to carry the coal-hod. We sometimes marvel at the coolness with which a man asks a tenderly-cared maiden to leave her luxurious home to cast her lot with him upon the untrodden sea of matrimony, and I marvel at the faith of the maiden who accepts the offer, saying: "Whither thou goest I will go, and where thou lodgest I will lodge; thy people shall be my people and thy God my God." Grave obligations grow out of this love and sacrifice and man's duty next to glorifying his Creator is certainly to live for woman's happiness.

## House and Lot For Sale.

I have for sale one nice 7-room cottage house in Louisa, on lot located on the corner of Jefferson and Franklin streets, near passenger depot. Gas in each room, a large porch around two sides and on back of kitchen, good tiling well in yard. All in good condition, fine location for boarding house. Will sell cheap if sold within the next 60 days. Call on or write A. L. BURTON, Louisa, Ky.

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## WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

The oil well drilled in on Laurel Creek, in Grant district, Wayne, came in last week a dry hole.

Mrs. Perry, an esteemed lady of Lincoln district, Wayne county, died Monday and was buried Tuesday. She was the mother of James Perry, of Wayne.

The home of C. W. Tabor, at East Lynn, was burned last Friday. But a small quantity of the household goods were saved. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

The many restrictions of the new game law are a vexation and a nuisance. The old comfortable way of doing things in West Virginia is but a memory now.—Wayne News.

The State Game Warden has appointed J. M. Napier, of East Lynn, one of his deputies for the county of Wayne. Mr. Napier was at the court house last Tuesday taking the oath of office.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 6.—Five men suspected of the murder of George Hood and his three children in Raleigh county last Sunday night were arrested in a raid on a deserted lumber camp in the mountains near Beckley tonight. The bodies of the victims of the quadruple murder and their home were burned in an effort to conceal the crime.

Notaries public have no jurisdiction or authority to conduct a hearing, take bail for trial or to discharge a defendant on bond for appearance before a United States commissioner. They are conservators of the peace of West Virginia within their county jurisdictions, exercising all the powers of justices of the peace, as peace officers, but not as judicial officers.

The Fairmont Normal College at Fairmont, W. Va., will be years regaining its former popularity, on account of the rough and uncouth actions of some of the girls engaging in hazing a young lady who rooted against a Fairmont Normal football team. It's becoming a pretty serious thing when young girls so far forget themselves as to engage in such actions. Parents send their daughters away to school with the hope that the environments may have a tendency to make them more cultured, but they miss it when they enter such a school that permits such behavior.

The application for a conditional pardon by Jay Herald, convicted in the Circuit Court of Wayne county of felonious and malicious assault, and given two years in the penitentiary, has been refused by the pardon attorney. Forty-two citizens of the county signed a petition presented by Herald, urging the governor to grant the conditional pardon, but both the Prosecuting Attorney and Judge before whom Herald was tried declined to recommend any change in the sentence imposed. May term of court.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 4.—Guilty of embezzling \$641 in 1905 was the verdict in the case of Col. A. S. Hutson. Hutson was Assistant Adjutant General of the State from 1898 to 1907, and in the latter year was indicted on nine counts, one for each year, of embezzling. A year ago he was tried for embezzlement in 1906 and acquitted. The case was bitterly fought. The penalty under the verdict is from two to ten years in the penitentiary. Hutson's method was to use duplicate receipts when settling up accounts following the State encampment of National Guard.

Bluefield, W. Va., Nov. 3.—J. C. Price was probably fatally shot yesterday morning at Devon by the father of a girl who it is said, he was trying to entice from her home. It appears that Price, who is a married man, went to the home of one of his neighbors at an early hour yesterday morning and not knowing that the father of the girl he wanted to see was at home, he threw a pebble against the window to attract her attention. The father, who was eating breakfast at the

time, immediately went to the door to see who the intruder was, and it is said that no sooner had he reached the door than the man Price opened fire on him. As soon as the shot was fired the father went into the house and securing a gun shot Price.

G. H. Dimick, a former Catlettsburg citizen, seems to have the promise of making a rich oil strike in the Lincoln county (W. Va.) field. A report has reached the city that recently his company had succeeded in passing through the big lime sand, in striking a well, and that a considerable quantity of oil had been struck. The report says that the well was soon filled to a depth of five hundred feet and the indications are that it will be a very fine producer. The company of which Mr. Dimick is a member has considerable holdings in that section and there seems to be a very bright prospect of their having "struck it rich." The well above mentioned is located near the town of Branchland, on the line of the G. V. railroad.

## Logan Items.

This term of circuit court may be named "Divorce Term," for up to date nine divorces have been granted. They are Nancy and John H. Beckett, Harley and Paulina Browning, Robert L. and Elizabeth Ellis, Rosa and John Frye, Jacob and Lilly Smith, Ellen Maud and John Sutphin, Lewis and Monnie McNeely, and Lizzie and Elias Thompson. In each of these divorce suits the first named party of each couple was the plaintiff.

The indictment against C. O. Brazie for killing George Burns and Mrs. Burns was nolleed on the fact that the killing of Burns was in self defense and that Mrs. Burns was accidentally shot in the fight.

Sherwood Baldwin was tried and acquitted of the indictment for killing Andy Justice at Ethel on July 3. The jury was out only seven minutes. The plea of self defense was well proven.—Banner.

Following close upon the heels of the famous Meadows massacre which occurred in Buchanan county, W. Va., near the corner of the three states of Virginia, Kentucky and West Virginia, a few weeks ago, comes the news of another terrible crime which was committed in Raleigh county, W. Va., only a few miles from Beckley, the county seat. Major C. W. Hood, aged about 70, his daughter, an unmarried lady, about 40, and a son, Roy, aged 30, were all murdered by some unknown party or parties and in order to cover up the crime, the house was fired and the three bodies were cremated.

Bloodhounds were procured and a great mob of infuriated citizens have been scouring the mountains in search of the perpetrators of the terrible deed. Suspicion points to a man who had been a suitor of the daughter, by the name of Jenkins. It is stated that the aged father had objected strenuously to the attentions of Jenkins toward the daughter and that he had been ordered to remain away from the Hood home, and it is thought that the man performed the awful act through revenge. Jenkins has not been seen in the community since the murder was committed and a man answering his description was seen running away from the community. In fact, no one else seems to be suspected of the crime up to the present and the officers are looking for him, and he will be arrested when found.

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## From the Assessor-Elect.

Marvin, Kentucky.

Editor Big Sandy News:—I wish to thank my many friends who stood by me in the recent campaign and especially my good Democrat friends who voted for me. I will never give you cause to regret it. I will fill the office to the best of my ability. I will fill it soberly and if one of my deputies falls to obey my instructions and get drunk I will discharge him of his duty. As I am under oath to my God to fill this office this way I will if life remains.

I am also proud of my neighbors. They have showed to me they were neighbors in time of need. I will just say the night will never get too dark for me to help them that helped me.

I am prouder of Lawrence county today than I ever was before. It was told I was a drunkard. I guess it knocked me out of some votes where I was not known. But my Democrat friends have shown the people that did not know me that this was a false report.

If anyone was elected fair I was. I made this race with two week's riding. I never told any tales on my opponent. I feel clear and with the best of feelings toward him.

I am also proud of my old home place at Blaine, where I once was a wandering boy, but since caught up in life I have reformed; thank God for it. They showed they had not forgot me where I was born and raised. It almost made me cry when I heard the heavenly news come in from Blaine. I felt so good to think of my friends at Blaine. It made me feel like I would love to be there and shake hands with all. Then a thought came to my mind about my friends at Oliveville and Fallsburg and Twin Branch, and I felt like I was at home; and feel now like I am at home anywhere in Lawrence county.

Thanking one and all, I am Respectfully yours, CHARLEY RICE.

## Political Matters.

Carlisle, Ky., Nov. 4.—Democrats all over the Ninth Congressional district are jubilant since the result of last Tuesday's election has shown such great gains for them, especially in the Republican counties of the eastern end of the district where several of them gave Democratic majorities and elected Democratic officials. This, the Democrats say, points to the success of the Democrats in their determination to wrest the district from the grasp of the Republicans in the congressional election next fall. The Democracy of the district also finds great comfort in the fact that they were able to carry Greenup, Congressman Bennett's home county, which is one of the strong Republican counties of the district.

The Hon. George F. Wycoff, a prominent young lawyer of this city, a brilliant young orator and the Democratic elector for this district last year, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination and will be opposed by the Hon. Edgar B. Hager, of Ashland, who was defeated by former Congressman J. N. Kehoe for the nomination last year. Others who are mentioned as probable candidates for the Democratic nomination are the Hon. M. J. Hennessy, of Bracken, and County Attorney Thomas D. Slattery, of Mason.

The Republicans are also getting busy in their own ranks. O. F. Byron, a prominent young man of Ashland, formerly of Bath county, is an announced candidate for the Republican nomination and will begin an active canvass at once. Congressman Bennett wants to succeed himself and Judge Robert Buckler, of Mt. Olivet, and Allan D. Cole, of Maysville, are prominently mentioned.

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